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By the Examiner:

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#### RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is a response to the Office Action mailed February 12, 2003. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider this Application in view of this Amendment and the attached Petition for Extension of Time presented herein.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (original): A development tunnel operable to receive a photographic film coated with a developer solution, the development tunnel comprising a housing forming a development chamber through which the coated film is transported, the development chamber operable to maintain a relatively constant temperature and humidity of the coated film during development of the film.

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### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified Nonprovisional application for patent are the following documents:

- 1. Response To Office Action (9 pp);
- 2. Petition For Extension Of Time:
- 3. Confirmation Postcard.

A fee is due. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Simon, Galasso & Frantz PLC Deposit Account No. 50-1259 under Reference No. ASF00119-PA-US.

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